

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA**

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, et al.)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
vs.)	Case No. 05-CV-329-GKF-PJC
)	
TYSON FOODS, INC., et al.,)	
)	
Defendants.)	


ORDER

Before the Court are the State of Oklahoma's ("Oklahoma") Unopposed Motion for Extension of Time for the State to Conduct the Depositions of Defendants' Damages Experts (Dkt. #1923) and Motion for Expedited Consideration of that motion (Dkt. #1924), which the Court hereby grants. Oklahoma seeks a 29-day extension to take the depositions of Defendants' Damages Experts who were granted an additional 29 days for filing their reports. Defendants' Damages Expert Reports are due on March 31, 2009 and the discovery deadline is April 16, 2009. Defendants have no objection to Oklahoma's motion for extension.

The Court finds good cause to extend the discovery deadline 29 days to provide Oklahoma an equal opportunity to depose the opposing side's Damages Experts.¹ Such extension will not affect the current trial schedule. Accordingly, the Court grants the motion. (Dkt. # 1923). The discovery deadline is May 1, 2009.

¹Oklahoma states that Defendants also need additional time to complete the depositions of Oklahoma's Damages Experts and intend to do so within the first two weeks of April.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 24th day of March, 2009.



Paul J. Cleary
United States Magistrate Judge